



Co-op Earnings Reach New Peak In First Quarter

The first quarter of 1942 was the most successful ever experienced by Greenbelt Consumer Services during its nearly five years of operation, it was reported to the members of G. C. S. at the quarterly meeting held Wednesday May 6.

During the first three months of this year the cooperative's net earnings were \$6,844. Every enterprise showed departmental margins well above those for the corresponding quarter last year, with the exception of the valet shop, according to the financial report given by Fred A. DeJager, treasurer of G. C. S.

Rationing Explained

Miss Loda May Davis of the consumer division of the Office of Price Administration addressed the meeting. She spoke on the new price control regulation to go into effect this month and rationing. Sugar rationing, for which registration was completed May 6, is already in effect.

Pointing out many of the details of the price regulation, Miss Davis explained why it was necessary and how it would work. Regulation, she said, is necessary to prevent the spiraling of prices upward and is one of the methods to be used to prevent inflation.

Some consumer goods will disappear, in the place of which many substitutes will appear, and the supply of many items will be greatly curtailed, Miss Davis said. It was her opinion that rationing is a fair and democratic way of distributing the available goods to consumers.

Miss Davis pointed out that sugar is generally considered a consumer good when, as a matter of fact, it is an essential war material. Sugar is used in the manufacture of munitions and much of the supply ordinarily consumed in the household is being diverted for wartime use. Thus, the necessity for rationing of this commodity.

Check Action Deferred

No action was taken by the membership on the question of whether G. C. S. should place a charge on the cashing of checks. The board presented figures indicating that during February and March the co-op cashed 3,301 checks for which the cost of handling, charged the cooperative by the bank, amounted to \$84.90. The matter of appropriate action, if any, was left up to the discretion of the directors.

Elected to the auditing committee were Fred A. Walker, Dr. George Treiman and Eli Don-Bullion. This committee selects its own chairman and its members each serve a term of one year. The auditing committee serves as a membership check on the board and management and reports only to the membership.

The two door prizes, each one being \$5 worth of Defense Savings Stamps, went to Mrs. Maye Bauer and Albert E. Ellerlin.

Greenbelters Get First Gas Rations

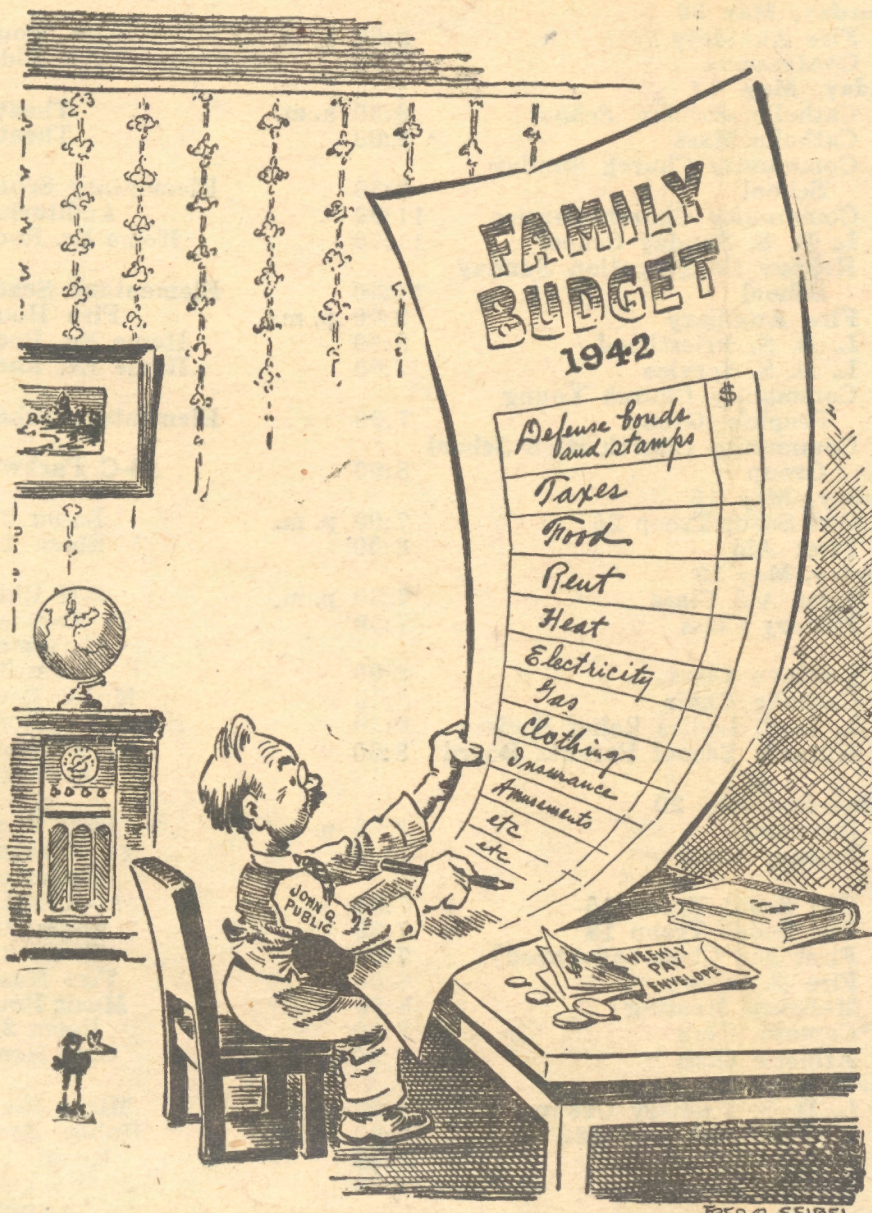
Taxing the registration system to the utmost, hundreds of motor car owners thronged the Greenbelt school in last minute effort to obtain gasoline ration cards. Long before the registration center opened, the school was crowded.

The teachers to whom had been assigned the task of doling out the gas cards worked manfully, straightening out the many difficulties that grew out of the herculean job.

Most of the registrants, it was stated, were very co-operative. According to registration officials, filling out forms and settling questions involved require considerably more time than the simple procedure of issuing cards to "A-card" users from information contained on their motor vehicle registration cards.

Come to see "Growing Pains," May 20 and 21.

AT THE TOP OF THE LIST



—From the Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Council Demands Sterner Action On 'Peeping Toms'

Taking its cue from an article appearing in a recent issue of the Cooperator, the Greenbelt Town Council at a meeting held last Monday recommended sterner action to be taken in future handling of so-called "Peeping Tom" cases. To a large extent, it was intimidated by Police Chief George Panagoulis, persons annoyed in these types of misdemeanors are contributory to the prevalence of the nuisance, citing one instance occurring last Sunday night, in which the complainant waited until well into the next morning before notifying the police.

Often after the primary charge is made, he pointed out, the complaining party, in sudden reluctance to embarrass his neighbors, loses heart and drops out of the proceedings. The solution to the problem, Mr. Panagoulis hinted, lies as much in the determination of the residents to prosecute as it does in the vigilance of the police department to apprehend offenders.

Mr. Rysticken reported that the sum of \$40,000 has been authorized for landscaping homes in Greenbelt as part of the key to eliminating the drainage problems that are gradually cropping up for lack of necessary coverage. This sum, which averages about \$40 per house, is no more than 25 per cent of the funds needed to correct the condition, he stated.

Fingerprinting Recommended

As a measure for the furtherance of public safety in Greenbelt, a resolution was brought up recommending that the facilities of the Department of Public Safety be used to fingerprint all children attending the grade and high schools, and their teachers, and that the same facilities be placed at the disposal of all Greenbelt residents. The purpose of this resolution is obviously aimed at identification, a large consideration in the scope of the function of the Department of Public Safety in case of air raids.

Also considered were plans for the annual audit of the Town books, to be made the third or fourth week in May, and revisions to the bicycle ordinance. After some discussion the cemetery ordinance was set aside for action at some future date.

Citizens' Committee Contacts Federal Transportation Body

The Transportation Committee of the Citizens Association met Friday May 8 with Arthur Rysticken to formulate plans to combat discontinuance of bus service from Berwyn to Mt. Rainier on the Greenbelt line.

Mr. Rysticken, who has been appointed by the Town Council to represent Greenbelt at the hearing before the Maryland Public Utility Commission May 20, 1942, reported that some 350 signatures of the petition had been received to date although they were not called for until May 11. Contact is being made with the Office of Defense Transportation to more fully ascertain that agency's attitude toward transportation problems of suburban communities such as Greenbelt in light of rubber and gasoline and rubber shortage. Furthermore, data is to be gathered on the present service to Greenbelt and the trolley service from Mt. Rainier to Berwyn which will aid Mr. Rysticken in presenting the case.

Capital Transit Is Old Hand At Trimming Local Bus Service

By Al Senkus

Next Wednesday in Baltimore Arthur L. Rysticken and a committee of local residents will do battle for Greenbelt when they challenge Capital Transit's plan to put local commuting to Washington back on a shuttle service.

The impending conflict is simply another round in a long war for adequate transportation which has been the town's number one problem since the first residents moved in.

Most people in Greenbelt leave between 6 and 8 in the morning, work in the governmental building area, and return home at about the same time. Isn't it reasonable, then, to expect direct and frequent transportation at the time it's needed?

It is more than reasonable. In these times, when the energy of humans and machines must not be wasted, it is essential.

But to recognize the need is not enough. Public utility holding companies will not come rushing

Greenbelt Men Will Be Recruits Into Local Militia Organization At Rally and Drill on May 22

Minute Men of Maryland will organize in Greenbelt next week when all local men from 18 to 64 not in military service are called to the first meeting and drill to be held Friday night, May 22, at 8 p. m. at the Elementary School.

Harry Bates has been delegated by Lt. Col. Caesar Aiello and S. H. Harvey to organize a platoon or company of the reserve militia here and has recruited 25 Greenbelt residents already.

Credit Union Publishes New Loan Laws

The Officers of the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union have been notified that the recent orders issued by the Federal Reserve Board concerning credit relations directly affect all loans made from that organization in the future.

The articles affected by this order are as follows, in part: Automobile accessories and batteries; household equipment, bedding, blankets, etc; bicycles; clocks; all electrical appliances; floor coverings; jewelry; lamps; lawn mowers; luggage, purses etc; motion picture equipment; musical instruments; radios; sewing machines; silverware; sports equipment; suction cleaners, hand cleaners; tableware and kitchenware; washing machines; watches; All wearing apparel; yard goods. To purchase any of the above, a down payment of one third must be made. (proof must be given the credit union of this fact) and the balance to be paid in 12 months. Furniture of all types require only twenty percent down with the balance over 12 months.

All applicants for loans will be advised upon application whether or not their requirements are covered in the new regulations and if so, proof of compliance must be made before the loan will be granted.

Something New Has Been Added

The Credit Union proudly exhibits certificates representing an investment of \$3000.00 in War Bonds. The purchase was made the first of the month and according to Mrs. Velma Brewer, indicates the trend of all Credit Unions in the investment of surplus funds. Mrs. Brewer stated that "it is the best investment that could be made, an investment in the security of a country that fosters such cooperatives as Credit Unions."

Home Service Only

Minute Men will serve only in their home communities and only in case of invasion, sabotage or general disorder. Enlistment is for the duration of World War II. Organized only last month under a general order issued by Governor Herbert R. O'Connor, this reserve militia already numbers well over 6000 with companies in most of the state's larger communities.

Guns and uniforms have been issued to the Hyattsville company.

Mr. Bates pointed to the large number of applications he has already received in estimating that there would be no difficulty in securing the required 50 or 60 for a Greenbelt company. There will be a captain and one lieutenant commissioned immediately after the company is organized, and another lieutenant will be commissioned later. Officers from the Maryland State Guard and retired officers from the Regular Army, Navy, Marines and National Guard will help with training of the civilian "home defense" army.

"With six million men to be sent overseas in the regular armed forces we are going to need some training and organization to provide against any possible emergency here at home," Mr. Bates pointed out in explaining that the Minute Men was being organized from men who were expected to continue their work and home duties while training for any threats of enemy invasion or mass sabotage. "In any event," he continued, "the experience will not be wasted, since most of our practice will be out of doors and good recreation."

Lt. Stanley of the Maryland Guard will be on hand at Friday's meeting to help with drill and general organization.

Recruits Listed

Greenbelters already applying in the Greenbelt company include: Virgil Estes, Robert R. Gray, Edmund Estes, Richard Bates, Harry Bates, Albert Carson, Robert C. Howey, Jack L. Wogan, W. R. Hartley, Austin R. Green, James S. Beck, Theodore R. Taylor, Joseph E. Lewis, Dale L. Jernberg, Donald H. Cooper, Robert G. Egli, Arthur H. Cline, Arthur A. Allewa, Roger Walker, William C. R. Howe, Ross M. Lindone, Aaron Chinitz, James A. Homan, Gerald D. Syneer, and Walter F. Nickel, Jr.

Three Cups Awarded Winning Classes In Local Track Meet

Final class winners to receive cups in the Greenbelt Elementary School track meet last Monday were Mrs. Whittaker's class in the second and third grade group; Miss Collier's in the fourth and fifth grade group; and the sixth grade in the sixth and seventh grade group. Outstanding among similar meets for the opportunity it gave every child to participate, Monday's track meet suffered only one casualty—a sprained elbow sustained by Jean Bonnar.

Individual winners of the event in the second and third grades were: Henry Hartley, boys' 25-yard dash; Barbara Jenkins, girls' 25-yard dash; Mrs. Whittaker's class, shuttle relay; and Mrs. Thomas' class, potato relay. In the fourth and fifth grades, the following received the most points: James Herbert, boys' 50-yard dash; Shirley Childs, girls' 50-yard dash; Mrs. Parker's class, (Continued on Page 3)

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Jobs for You

We don't know where, when or how the Japs intend to retaliate for their "loss of face" suffered in our taking the attack to their shores. The only thing we can depend on is that they will attempt a method that will satisfy their civilians. Indicated is a raid on American continental cities by one of the Axis powers. It is absolutely necessary that we anticipate any moves along this line by making our Civilian Defense organizations the acme of efficiency.

While grandstand directors weep and tear their hair over the confusion existing in these organizations, those who are trying to give the Nation the utmost in protection are hindered, by a lack of cooperation. It can't be lack of interest. Surely no one wants to be killed in an air raid. There are complaints of fatigue resulting from overtime in defense jobs. It seems to me that these are times that require the maximum of effort, not the minimum. There are those—thankfully few—who say, "I won't be a party to anything John So-and-So is working on." Those are the people who will blame John So-and-So for not protecting them, when fears become realities.

Perhaps you don't know where you can do the most good. With the help of our Civilian Defense Corps, the following information is available:

Men can serve any night of the week by joining the aircraft spotters. This group is under the supervision of the Army. In charge locally is Judge Freeman. A most necessary function, this 24-hour volunteer work needs many more helpers than it now has. Working 2-hour shifts, 84 regular spotters and several alternates are needed in order to give complete coverage. Other places where men are needed are in the auxiliary police and fire forces, the air-raid wardens, the emergency medical services and the Minute Men (reserve militia). First-aid classes are conducted day and evening, presenting opportunity to every one to learn the essentials of emergency treatment. There are many services that men aren't available for, such as daytime spotting. Here is the chance for women to take an active part in defense preparation. The emergency medical unit also needs women as nurses' aides and first-aid workers. Dr. Joseph Silagy can be contacted for this unit. Is there any one in town who doesn't have two hours a week to spare for some part in the community's protection?

If you have any suggestions or if you want to go to work just attend the meeting of the Greenbelt Civilian Defense Council Monday night at the fire house. This is an important meeting and it affects you so if you have any axes to grind bring them along and they will be ground.

Let's Get To Work On This

Don't forget—we have a "somewhat" of a transportation service now but if the plea of the Capital Transit Company next Wednesday is granted we won't have even that amount. Write to the Public Service Commission of Maryland; write to your Congressman; write to the Governor of Maryland; sign the petitions being circulated or better yet, attend the hearing. Don't let this go the way of all Greenbelt because when your gas tank gurgles its last you will be sorry.

Memo To New Residents

Do you have newspaper or publishing experience? Do you wish to learn about the operations of a newspaper? Would you like to help put this paper out each week? If so, come down to the office (over the Drug Store) any Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday night. Even if you do not know any more about a paper than page one comes before page two we can use you. In case you don't know it, your newspaper is put out each week by volunteer workers who do not get paid for their efforts and who never expect to receive any compensation. The paper is published by an incorporated producers cooperative whose membership is open to anyone who has the ambition and desire to give Greenbelt a better paper and who believes in the cooperative movement as a

Calendar of Events

Friday, May 15		
Band Practice	6:30 p. m.	Auditorium
Feeder Band Practice	6:30	Hobby Room
Stringed Orchestra	7:00	Room 123
Fire Auxiliary	7:30	Fire House
First Aid Class	8:00	Room 225
Community Church Choir	8:00	2-C Gardenway
Hebrew Congregation	9:00	Music Room
Saturday, May 16		
Fire Auxiliary	2:00 p. m.	Fire House
Confessions	7:30	17-E Ridge
Sunday, May 17		
Catholic Sunday School	8:30 a. m.	Theater
Catholic Mass	9:00	Theater
Community Church Sunday School	9:30	Elementary School
Community Church Service	11:00	Auditorium
L. D. S. Sunday School	11:00	Home Ec. Room
Hebrew Congregation Sunday School	11:00	Elementary School
Fire Auxiliary	2:00 p. m.	Fire House
L. D. S. Priesthood	6:30	Home Ec. Room
L. D. S. Service	7:00	Home Ec. Room
Community Church Young People's Group	7:00	Elementary School
Community Church High School Group	8:00	18-C Parkway
Monday, May 18		
Girl Scout Troop 26	7:00 p. m.	Room 223
First Aid	8:00	Room 225
Tuesday, May 19		
First Aid Class	7:30 p. m.	3-H Ridge
Pottery Class	7:30	21 Parkway basement
Canteen Class	8:00	Room 222
Catholic Choir	8:15	Music Room
L. D. S. Ladies Relief Society	8:30	Home Ec. Room
Nursery School Parents Board	8:00	14 Parkway basement
Wednesday, May 20		
Brownies	3:30 p. m.	Music Room
Pottery Class	7:30	21 Parkway basement
Girl Scout Troop 15	7:30	17-A Ridge
Girl Scout Troop 18	7:30	Room 223
First Aid Class (advanced)	7:30	Room 225
Fire Auxiliary	8:00	Fire House
Midweek Meeting	8:00	Music Room
*Camera Club	8:00	Room 222
Athletic Club	8:00	Club House
Thursday, May 21		
L. D. S. Primary Group	4:00 p. m.	Music Room
Boy Scout Troop 202	7:00	Hobby Room
Girl Scout Troop 17	7:30	Room 123
Pottery Class	7:30	21 Parkway basement
American Legion	8:00	Legion House
Legion Auxiliary	8:00	Legion House
*Garden Club	8:15	Room 222

*Greenbelt Camera and Garden Clubs

The Greenbelt Camera Club, formed in 1938, has had as its sole purpose the furtherance of Photography as a hobby. In this it has been quite successful, the membership roster growing throughout its existence and many of its members gaining excellent reputations as photographers. Some having used the foundation of photographic knowledge gained from their association with the club to join the professional ranks.

The club stands high among similar organizations in this area and takes pride in its contributions to the Arts in Greenbelt, as the Annual Salon and in the Town Fair. Many of the members have had prints accepted by well known Salons and photographic contests as well as at the World's Fair in New York. Prize winners in this group have been numerous.

The Camera Club meets on the first and third Wednesdays of each month in Room 222 of the Elementary School. Meetings are quite informal and anyone interested in Photography is cordially invited to attend.

The Greenbelt Garden Club was formed in the fall of 1938, for the purpose of stimulating the knowledge and love of gardening among amateurs; to aid in the protection of plants and to encourage civic planting.

The present officers are Oscar Zoellner, President; Mrs. Carrie Hall, Treasurer; and Mrs. Helen C. Brown, Secretary. The regular meeting is held on the third Thursday of each month. Each year the Garden Club members try to have a profitable garden but this year all are trying to have a special victory garden.

Members receive many benefits from the club. This spring they are allowed 10 per cent to 40 per cent discount from several large seed houses and nurseries. The club has purchased a ton of fertilizer which has been sold at a reduced rate to members.

Members of the club help one another with many problems by telling of actual experiences they have had growing different plants and they exchange plants with each other.

At present there are 28 paid members. For the past two years the "Garden Club Booth" has been awarded first prize for the best booth at the Town Fair.

Keep Out!

Spring onions are up and it is time for you to keep out of other people's gardens. In past years local gardeners have been plagued with rabbits and petty thieves. The rabbits may be forgiven inasmuch as they lack the human intelligence to discriminate between free greenery and that planted with such loving care by Greenbelt farmers.

Thievery and mischievous or careless damage by children or adults is despicable and has no place in this community. People who are too lazy to plant their own gardens should stay out of the vegetables planted by their neighbors. We feel pretty strongly in this matter. So strongly that we are offering a \$10 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person stealing or despoiling Greenbelt gardens this summer. The Cooperator made a similar offer last year with a \$5 reward. The increased importance of gardens in this war year would seem to make our \$10 reward required if it can help at all in discouraging sneak thieves.

whole.

Don't hesitate to ask us questions and please don't hesitate to come down and help if you so desire. We feel that you will like our work and we know we will like to have you.

Community Church

"The Salt of The Earth" will be the theme of the sermon that the Reverend Wilmer R. Johnston will preach at the Greenbelt Community Church, Sunday morning at 11 a. m. A children's sermon will precede the regular sermon. The Junior Church will be seated Sunday morning separately from the senior church. A nursery is also provided each Sunday morning so that mothers who wish may bring their children and leave them with the attendants at the nursery.

The church school meet each Sunday at 9:30. Classes for all are provided. The adult male class is taught by Roy Braden and the woman's class is taught by Mrs. Leah Spencer. The young married woman's class is taught by Mrs. Morton Smith. Classes for all ages of children are provided.

A "Fifty Committee" is in the process of being formed. The main object of this committee is to sponsor an evening service for the Community Church. "Fifty Committee" will sponsor a "Fathers and Sons" service to be held at the Community Church on Fathers Day, June 21.

On Children's Day a class of boys and girls will be received into church membership. All boys and girls who graduate from the elementary school into the high school this year are invited to join this class and take the training for membership in the Church.

Hebrew Congregation

About thirty soldiers from Fort Meade will be entertained at dinner in the homes of members of the Hebrew congregation tonight. After dinner, they will attend services in the music room of the Elementary School, at 8:30 p. m. Refreshments will be served and a special program will close the event.

The new officers of the congregation are: President, William Treadwell; vice president, Hy Bach; secretary, Mrs. Miriam Weinerman; treasurer, Morris Weinerman.

Mrs. Ethel Morganstein was unanimously re-elected president of the Ladies Auxiliary at a meeting which was held at the home of Mrs. Florence Treadwell. The other members who were elected officers are: Vice president, Mrs. Edith Ratzkin; recording secretary, Mrs. Florence Treadwell; treasurer, Mrs. Sylvia Goffin; corresponding secretary, Peggy Markfield.

There will be a "weenie roast" at the lake near the pavillion on Saturday, June 6.

Any person desiring information about the Sunday School or the congregation may contact President Treadwell.

I WANT TO KNOW...

Where is Indian Springs and can anyone use it for picnics?

Indian Springs favorite picnic area for Greenbelters, is located about a mile west of town. To reach it by car turn east from Edmonston Road just north of the high school. A narrow dirt road leaves the pavement beside a white house and wanders to a parking area about 200 yards above the recreation area. On foot the place can be reached from the lake by crossing the dam path and continuing on over the hill, about a quarter-mile hike. A longer walk is that starting along the high school path which leads into the woods from A block, between 4 and 6 Ridge Road. Indian Springs can be reached by turning to the right shortly after reaching a post in the middle of the path about ¼ miles from the start.

The picnic area, situated in a grove of trees in a wide ravine, boasts fireplaces, tables, and fine spring water.

Do all Greenbelt residents have to have Maryland auto licenses? Yes.

Canteen Classes Formed

Mrs. Paul Thurston of the American Red Cross addressed a group of women the evening of May 12, at 3-D Ridge Road for the purpose of forming classes for canteen work. Fifteen women signified a desire for this type of class and voted to hold classes twice a week in order to finish the course in five weeks. The first regular class will be held in Room 222, May 19, at 8 p. m. All interested persons are invited to be present.

OUR NEIGHBORS

By SALLY MEREDITH

Hello, Greenbelt:

Do you like cakes billowy with coconut or luscious with chocolate? Pies rich with lemon or butter-scotch and topped with meringues? Or can you whip up such concoctions? In either event, you'll be interested in the Bake Sale to be held tomorrow at the Food Store. Proceeds will buy equipment for the Firemen's Auxiliary. I know what I'm going to do. I'm going to be on the buying end. How about you?

This is rather old "news," but perhaps you haven't heard of it yet. Mrs. H. A. Miller now heads the local Girl Scout Troop No. 15. Former leader, Mrs. Myrtle Brittingham, told me that she can't think of anyone that could do a better job. I've heard here and there that Myrtle was plenty okay in that capacity. She had to stop, though, because she was doing too much. You see her behind the checking counter at the Food Store.

Mrs. Mary Jane Kinzer left last Friday for New Orleans, to attend a conference of the National Social Welfare Association, of which she is a member. She plans to leave there this week-end and spend a week in Roanoke before turning to Greenbelt. So help me, this is the first time I've known her to take a vacation since I've lived here. Which reminds me. Isn't it about time Mrs. Winfield McCamy returned from her long-awaited, much-deserved vacation? The office never looks the same without her.

Last week Safety Director George Panagoulis and Director of Public Works Harry Rhodes, visited Greenhills, Ohio, and Greendale, Wisconsin, our sister cities, in a survey of safety, sanitation, and other public facilities. They left Saturday, May 2, and returned May 8.

I know this happens every day, but when it happens to me, I'm so excited, you'd think it was the first time in the history of Greenbelt. Which all leads up to the fact that I'm moving from my apartment to a house tomorrow. I was perfectly contented with the apartment, but I suppose it's just in the feminine nature to want to move every so often. At least it's in my nature. When I can't change my address, I compromise by changing the position of the living room furniture.

Another wedding announcement—Miss Mildred Seeger of 4-C Crescent Road, was married May 6 to Basil Zier, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. They will reside in College Park, Maryland. We announced a shower for Miss Seeger some weeks ago.

Thought for the week: Only two weeks until the pool opens!

That's all, until next week.

Women's Club Holds Spring Luncheon

Against the background of beautiful Olney Inn, the Greenbelt Women's Club held its annual spring luncheon May 7. Following the luncheon the club members adjourned to the Mexican Room for a program of music and the business meeting.

Two Chopin waltzes as piano solos were played by Mrs. Denzil D. Woods, after which Mrs. Daniel G. Neff and Mrs. Oscar M. Johnson joined in a special duet for Mother's Day, "Oh Mother of Mine," singing "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes" for an encore.

Mrs. Rowena Whittaker, guest of the club representing Greenbelt Elementary School, gave two recommendations drawn up by Mrs. Catherine T. Reed, who was unable to be present. These were two suggestions as to how the Women's Club may be of service to the school: The first that, because of the probable shortage of recreation personnel this summer, the recreation department be given assistance by volunteer workers; and secondly, that during the coming school year the Club members make plans to help interpret Greenbelt school projects and methods to new residents of the community.

Mrs. S. Hartford Downs reviewed briefly the work accomplished by the Woman's Club during this season. Mrs. Leon Benefiel, president, urged that renewed devotion be given in the difficult days ahead to religious living and spiritual thought.

Track Meet

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boys' 200-yard relay; Miss Collier's class, girls' 200-yard relay; Miss Collier's class, shuttle relay; Harry Bordas, round-arm throw for boys; Esther Wolfe, round-arm throw for girls; George Henneberger, boys' standing broad jump; Jane Johnson, girls' standing broad jump; soft-ball throw for distance, James Herbert; Jean Whittaker, girls' far throw; Miss Collier's class, girls' dodge ball.

For the sixth and seventh grade groups, the most points were taken by the following: 50-yard dash, boys, Harry Benefiel; girls' 50-yard dash, Helen Ward; boys' 200-yard relay, the seventh grade; girls' 200-yard relay, seventh grade; shuttle relay, sixth grade; running catch relay, seventh grade; round arm throw, boys, Frank Bauer; girls' round arm throw, Dolores Wolfe; boys' soft ball throw for distance, John Belton; soft ball throw for dis-

tance, girls, Helen Ward; boys' standing broad jump, Rene Ward; girls' far throw, Adele Eubanks.

In games between the sixth and seventh grades, the sixth grade took the girls' and boys' dodge ball games and the girls' soft ball; the seventh grade took the boys' soft ball game.

The P. T. A. Ways and Means Committee served luncheon to those participating, the menu having been previously discussed in class room work as to wholesome-

ness and suitability to the occasion. Mrs. Paul H. Lung, chairman of the committee, worked with the school staff in carrying out the luncheon project.

Card Party Cancelled

The card party planned for tomorrow night by the American Legion Auxiliary has been called off because of the numerous other activities engaged in by the Auxiliary members.

The Great Beers of Maryland

A BOON FOR THE HARD-WORKING MEN OF TODAY!

MARYLAND - - - TODAY A THROBBING HEART IN THE GREAT BODY OF WAR PRODUCTION!

Thousands upon thousands upon thousands of men---Marylanders from the mountain counties far to the west and from the level lands of the Eastern Shore - - - and thousands who have come from states to the north, the south and the west - - - all here as members of that tremendous driving force which is working to win this war!

And what a boon to those men that they can turn from tremendous physical and mental effort to relax for a moment and drink deep of a glass of good beer - - - pure, wholesome, refreshing!

In a group of splendid, modern breweries, outstanding masters of the brewing art vie in friendly rivalry to brew beer to your liking. Each has at his command the finest of the grains, the hops, and the pure waters of Maryland. And in all these breweries, hundreds of skilled men bring support and co-operation to those master brewers that you may have your good beer—in these days when, as never before, a glass of beer means so much to the men who labor to produce.

Brewed from these splendid ingredients, from all of these breweries come good beers—but, still, *different beers*. For in the brewing of beers there are made evident the same characteristics as in the making of—well—apple pies.

You know that you can bring together seven or eight housewives—all known to be expert bakers of apple pies. You can give those women their choice of ingredients—and they will all choose the finest. And when they have finished those pies, each will be a great pie—yet each will have an individuality all its own. No two will be alike. And each pie will attract friends.

It is so with beer—and it is a good thing that it is so. There is, in Maryland today, a beer for every taste. Here we want to tell you about one of these Maryland beers—NATIONAL BOHEMIAN—one of the two beers which we make in our brewery.

It is a fascinating story of honest brewing and tremendous public response. Long before NATIONAL BOHEMIAN was first brewed, Maryland brewed fine beer. And then, just a few years ago, NATIONAL BOHEMIAN made its appearance. It was brewed first to fill a public want—to serve the modern taste—light, tangy, zestful—and yet retaining the full body and the definite character of the ancient brews. It was sent out at first just in small lots to a chosen few tavern keepers—to find out what you folks thought of this unusual brew.

To the old timers in Maryland, NATIONAL BOHEMIAN'S coming will never be forgotten. You folks fairly leaped at it. Over-night it became a popular

beer—sixth place in Maryland—then fifth place—fourth place—third place—second place—and before one could say "scat"—FIRST PLACE among all the bottled and packaged beers sold in this part of the country—and even then, the demand was only beginning—it has gone up and up ever since. It proved one great fact—men and women recognize quality—goodness—rare flavor.

But there seemed, at first, that one insurmountable obstacle would stop short this onward rush. We brewed with only one thought—GREAT GOODNESS—DELICIOUSNESS—new heights in the sheer delight of a lovely beer.

We over-looked the element of cost—so important in the conduct of business. We had to charge your dealers—your tavern keepers, your clubs and hotels MORE for NATIONAL BOHEMIAN than they have to pay for any other popular priced bottled beer they buy for you. But only for a moment did we wonder what the outcome would be. Almost to a man, the tavern keepers and the merchants saw in NATIONAL BOHEMIAN a beer that would let them give you the acme of beer goodness. And they said: "We'll pay the price—we are willing to pay more for such a beer—and while we may make a little less profit per bottle, we'll make it up in the friends we serve."

And so now, with National Bohemian soaring to greater and greater proportions in the job of providing good beer for folks in Maryland, neither you who enjoy NATIONAL BOHEMIAN nor we who brew it must forget for a moment the unselfish purveyors who pay more for NATIONAL BOHEMIAN than they pay for any other popular priced bottled beer—yet give it to you at regular price.

And to you new-comers in Maryland—maybe you still have a taste treat in store. We hope it won't be long before you come to know NATIONAL BOHEMIAN, too. We hope you, too, find it pleasing and agreeable.

One of the good Maryland Beers

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HighSchoolChatter

By LOUISE BURKE

The most important thing to report to you this week is all the dope on the Senior play. It is to be "Growing Pains" by Aurania Rouverol, a story of adolescent life. The leads are to be played by Jack Gale and Rosalie Poston. Two performances will be given, Wednesday and Thursday, May 20 and 21. Admission to this colossal production is 15 cents, 25 cents and 35 cents plus tax. If you haven't already purchased your tickets, hurry up! Miss Younger, director, predicts that from all indications of how practices are going there is no doubt that this play will be even more enjoyable to you than the previous high school production, "What a Life".

If it hadn't rained last Sunday, for the first game, you most likely would have been able to hear a much longer concert. There was the band donned in their bright green uniforms and along comes the rain (and a little wind to blow music here and there.) So the game proceeded with a sparse crowd looking on. The band immediately retired to either watch the game or go home.

That hay ride last Friday, after band practice, was definitely some affair. It would have been O. K. except there were far too many couples to make for any comfort. I really do pity those poor people who had to sit against the rough boards on the back and the sides of the truck. Their backs were just like corduroy the next morning. (I know. I was one of them!)

The second of the county athletic meets was held last Wednesday, at Laurel. The girls won their volley ball game and also their softball game, but the boys lost one and tied one of their softball games and won volley ball.

Several of the teachers were away for the week-end. Miss Council was home, on the Eastern Shore, and also spent some time shopping to add to her already complete wardrobe. The other evening Miss G. had some past experiences brought to light by someone who really knows and was she embarrassed—Miss Nudo was up in Philadelphia and Ocean City for her week-end.—More about Miss Nudo's prospective husband: He's from Philadelphia and his name is Mr. J. P. Dattilo.

Mr. Cooper had a change of plans. He will leave this Friday for the Army, instead of at the end of the school year.

A question that I have heard quite often during the past few weeks is: "Who will be the first Greenbelt boy to wear peg-bottom pants? I wonder!!" "Shoeless Joe."

That was some affair last night, wasn't it? You couldn't have helped enjoying yourself, meeting all your new neighbors and seeing the old ones.

Nursery Schools Plan Swim Ticket Raffle

Four strips of swimming-pool tickets are to be raffled by the Nursery School, it was decided at a meeting of the Parents Board last Tuesday. Chances went on sale today for 10 cents each, or three for 25 cents. Two strips of adult's tickets, and two of children's, will be awarded.

Election of officers, planned for Tuesday's meeting, has been postponed until fall, in order to have a more representative vote, since many parents are expected to enroll their children next term. It was decided that Nursery School shall close at the end of the month of May, in conformance with the early closing of the Elementary School.

New Babies

On March 11, a son, Wayne Irvin, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Henry Knigge, 7-B Southway, at Providence Hospital, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph Fenerty, 2-H Eastway, were blessed with a baby girl, Mary Kathleen, on April 10, at Doctors Hospital, Washington.

A daughter, Virginia Sharon, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lynn J. Culver, 1-D Westway, on April 25, at Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, Takoma Park.

Buy your ticket to "Growing Pains" now!!!

One Year Ago

(From the Cooperator of May 16, 1941)

New policy for Cooperator determined, and board selected—Health Association revises schedule—Greenbelt Consumer Services receives applications for job openings—Transportation Committee arranges 500 rides for residents—Co-op membership increased, earnings drop—Science exhibit shows school at its best—Community Men's Class holds "Neighborhood Day"—Town Council votes \$200 for July 4—American Legion Auxiliary plans Poppy Day—Paul De Kruif's "The Fight For Life" comes to local theatre—Culinary class holds cooking contest—Education Committee sponsors Gum Drop Co-op essay contest—Greenbelt Citizens' Association sponsors Greenbelt visit for refugee children.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE

For Sale: A few tomato, broccoli and pepper plants. A. J. Carson, 18-T Ridge Road.

Have you bought your ticket to "Growing Pains?"



"Buckle down—to work for Uncle Sam"

BEFORE washing a garment, remove breakable buttons and buckles. Pearl buttons or jeweled buckles haven't the stamina to face washing machines or hard scrubbing. Broken or missing buttons can ruin a costume, or, if unmatchable, necessitate the purchase of a new set.



Then put the money saved into U. S. SAVINGS STAMPS—to help button up Hitler! Every pay check should be budgeted to include generous help for Uncle Sam.

Capital Transit

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to F. S. A. was approximately \$1,000 per month.

No careful attempt to make the system work was made, and after the expiration of the year's contract it was discontinued.

Long and careful studies prepared by the transportation committee of the Citizens Association and the Town Council were ignored by the Transit Company. A municipal-owned bus system and a cooperative station wagon pool were proposed but failed to win popular support.

Next came the shuttle bus to Berwyn. With it came the inconvenience of an additional transfer, waiting for the bus outdoors in

inclement weather, the long swaying rides in old street-cars.

We are now asked to return to the shuttle bus. The Capital Transit Company says it must avoid parallel routing. This will save a bus—at the cost of two streetcars.

If Greenbelt were isolated in some mid-western state it would have the dignity of a small city. Because it is near Washington its 4000 people are considered as a group of suburbanities—Only incidental to the transportation problem of the city.

Actually, Greenbelt is a unit which moves to and from Washington each working day. To hinder war workers in the name of Conservation is not the way to win wars.

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New Schedule and Service

DRY CLEANING and LAUNDRY

Every possible effort will be made to carry out this New Schedule, but we can not make any definite promise.

Store Schedule

Work Brought in Store

Saturday and Monday 'till 10

Monday and Tuesday 'till 10

Tuesday and Wednesday 'till 10

Wednesday and Thursday 'till 10

Thursday and Friday 'till 10

Friday and Saturday 'till 10

DRY CLEANING

Due Back

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

Monday

Tuesday

LAUNDRY

Due Back

Friday

Saturday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Schedule for Delivery and Pickup

In compliance with the Emergency Transportation Order, we are now making one combination call and delivery a week to a home. We have divided the town into four sections and will make the call on the day scheduled below. It is, therefore, very important that all work be ready for the route man when he calls.

Monday Calls

ALL OF PARKWAY

ALL OF HILLSIDE

ALL OF THE NEW SECTION NORTH OF HILLSIDE

ALL OF WOODLAND

ALL OF FORESTWAY

ALL OF NORTHWAY

FROM 48 TO 43 RIDGE ROAD INCLUSIVE

ALL OF EASTWAY

Tuesday Calls

CRESCENT ROAD FROM 28 TO 62 INCLUSIVE
RIDGE ROAD FROM 41 TO 29 INCLUSIVE
ALL OF GARDENWAY

Thursday Calls

RIDGE ROAD FROM 27 TO 17 INCLUSIVE
ALL OF SOUTHWAY

Friday Calls

RIDGE ROAD FROM 1 TO 16 INCLUSIVE
ALL OF WESTWAY
CRESCENT ROAD FROM 1 TO 26 INCLUSIVE

Greenbelt Valet Shop